

**REMARKS**

Claims 1-18 are pending in the present application. Claims 1-5 were previously withdrawn in response to a restriction requirement. In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office action dated July 13, 2005, applicant provisionally elects the invention of Species I corresponding to Figures 4A-4E for examination on the merits, without traverse. Claims 6-13 read on Species I. In making this election, applicant does not intend to abandon the scope of the non-elected claims as originally filed and reserves the right to pursue the non-elected claims in the present application once a generic claim is found allowable.

The Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2855, under Order No. 29926/37051. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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